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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

ASK WHAT YE WILL.—If
ye abide in me, there the fire
goeth out: so where there is no
talebearer, the strife ceaseth.
Proverbs 26: 20.

The whole State will commend
missioner Maxwell in his atti-
tude toward an increase in
freight rates on shipments of
commodities into North Caro-
lina particularly from the West.
When Mr. Maxwell found that
he could not sit as an unbiased
judge he did perfectly right in
resigning and serving notice
that he was in the fight to the
finish to combat what he termed
"the most brutal proposal
ever submitted to the Commis-
sion;" that is, an increase in
rates from Cincinnati to Carolina
territory of approximately 45
per cent.

North Carolina is fortunate
that it has a man of his spirit to
look after its interests in such
a fight and he will be backed by
all unselfish interests through-
out the state.

REPUBLICANS DOOMED

Republicans of the old guard
are becoming more and more
worried over the turn which
politics have taken and over the
success of the progressive wing
of the party. The winning of
nomination by Beveridge over
Senator New, the defeat of the
Penrose machine in Pennsylvania
and finally the landslide victory
of Brookhart, a progressive and
close friend of Senator LaFol-
lette, together with the attacks
of the Press on the administra-
tion for its continued support or
the Attorney General, is causing
many a frown to show upon the
brow of the administration for-
ces, and a wonder on their part
what will happen to them in the
coming Fall elections. They
know that something must be
done but they know not which
way to turn. They have seen
"the handwriting on the wall,"
but they know not what to do to
erase it. The party is divided
within itself and no matter what
course it may take at this late
date it is surely doomed to de-
feat in the coming congressional
and in the Presidential elections
two years hence.

WHY THE REASON?

At every succeeding commen-
cement it is noticeable the small
percentage of boys in each grad-
uating class of the High School.
What is the reason of this?
Is it that the boys cannot stick
through the fight to a certifi-
cate, or does it mean that parents
take the boys out of school and
put them to work before they
have finished the course?
Whatever the cause may be it

should be remedied, not only for
the sake of the children them-
selves, but for the profit of the
community. Every additional
year of schooling means that
much additional asset to the in-
dividual and the community in
the future. If the cause is due
to the fact that the boys them-
selves do not stick, then the chil-
dren and the parents should be
brought to realize the value of
this additional training to the
children and a larger per cent
of boys be brought to graduation.

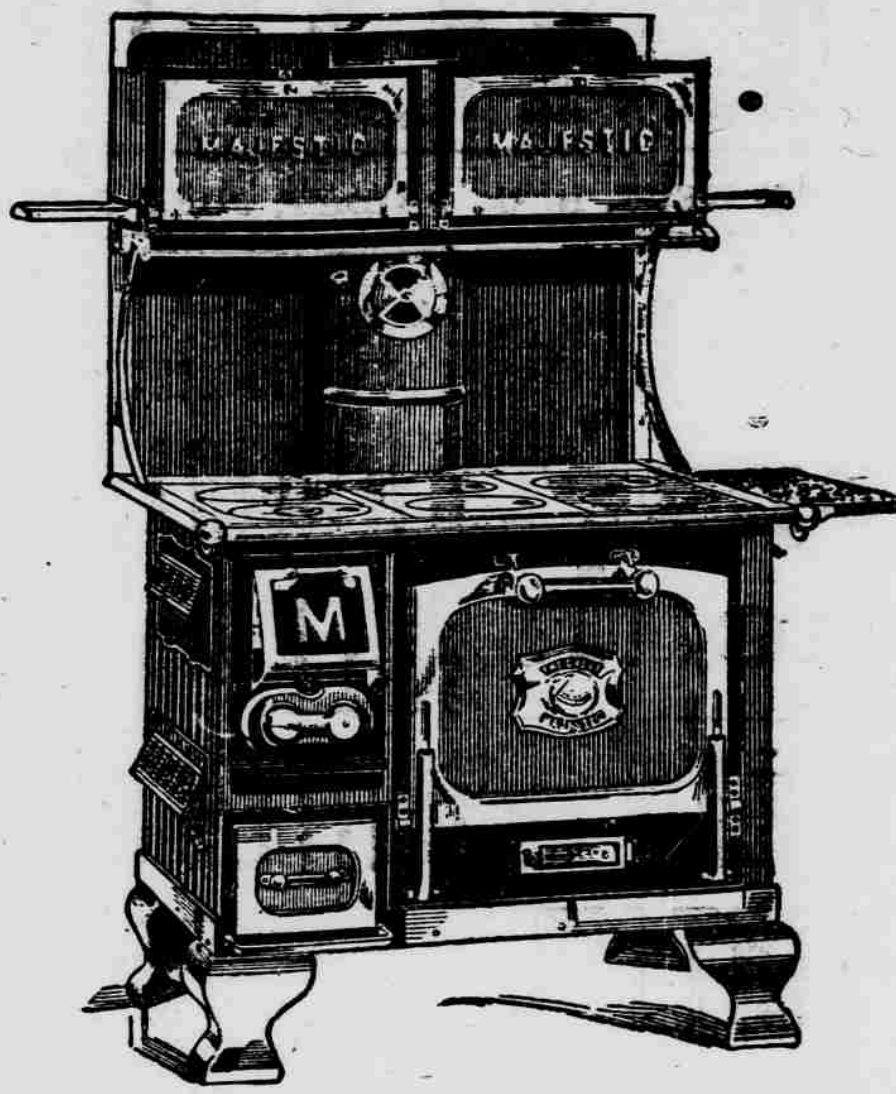
All children are not fortunate
enough to be able to attend col-
lege, but our liberal school sys-
tem does guarantee to each
child a splendid foundation of
education and the parent who
does not keep his child in school
until he finishes High School is
not giving that child every ad-
vantage to which he is entitled
and the child is not availing
himself of his full opportunities
if he gives up before he reaches
graduation from High School.
The child himself may not ap-
preciate the value of that extra
schooling at the age at which he
stops school, but in the years to
come he will blame himself and
his parents. Our school author-
ities should impress this upon
the children from time to time
and make an effort to bring a
larger per centage of boys to
graduation each year.

LAND SALE FOR TAXES

At noon Saturday June 10th,
1922, in front of the Mayor's
Office, Scotland Neck, N. C., I
will sell for taxes and costs, the
following property, lying in the
town of Scotland Neck, N. C.,
and on which the town taxes for
the year 1921 have not been paid.

	Taxes & Costs
T. E. Butler, 1 town lot.	\$ 30.90
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Miss M. J. Cherry, Est.	
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W. C. Dickinson, 1 town lot	14.15
Mrs. Myrtle Hardy, 1 town lot	18.95
R. D. Harrell, 1 town lot	185.40
Will H. Josey, 1 town lot	47.70
S. B. Kitchin Est., 1 town lot	2.70
A. P. Kitchin, 4 town lots	392.00
C. T. Lawrence, 1 town lot	77.90
J. E. Lewis, 2 town lots.	245.70
J. G. Madry, 1 town lot.	42.90
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C. T. LAWRENCE, Chief of Police.	

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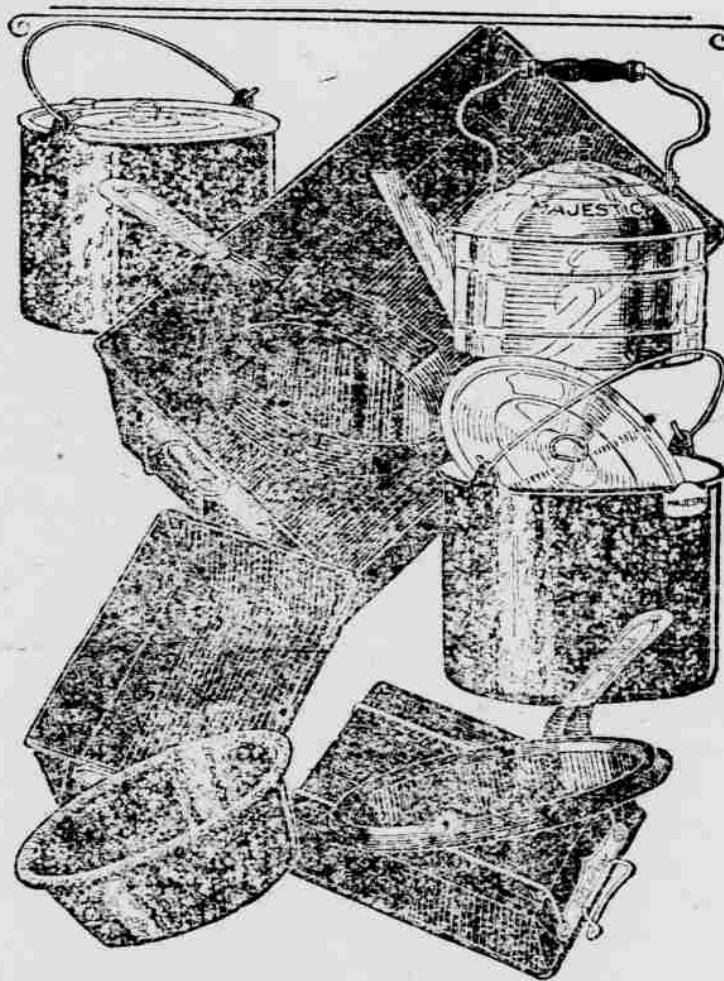


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